Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 01 Oct 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 02 Oct 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 01 Oct 2022 at 00:50

Confidence: High for a windy and showery Saturday followed by a drier and calmer Sunday. High for a dry day on Monday with wetter and windier weather returning on Tuesday. Low for the timings and intensities of rain from Tuesday night onwards, and the strength of the winds.

Headline for Saturday 01 Oct 2022: Sunny intervals and blustery showers, these briefly heavy at times.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 01 Oct 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
70%	70%	60%	40%	30%	20%

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Weather: Windy with clear intervals then sunny intervals, and scattered showers, today but also some lengthy dry periods. Showers could be heavy at times, but they will blow through quickly on the brisk winds. This evening becoming mainly dry with patchy cloud and clear spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60-80%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Periods of cloud above 850-950m throughout much of today, most persistent across the Snowdon Range where locally lowering to 750m at times. Most summits will clear intermittently. However, the highest summits such as Snowdon may only see very brief clearances. During clearances there will be superb visibility with excellent air clarity and distant hills and landmarks clear to see. But then sudden deteriorations as showers pass through. Locally very poor within cloud/fog.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	32/39 W	33/41 W	31/40 W	30/39 W	30/38 W	31/38 W	27/33 W
600	22/29 W	24/31 W	24/33 W	23/32 W	19/26 SW	20/28 W	16/24 W
300	14/27 W	16/28 W	17/30 W	16/29 W	12/24 SW	12/25 W	9/20 W
Valley	14/28 W	17/28 W	17/30 W	16/28 W	12/24 SW	13/26 W	10/21 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	5/-1	6/0	7/1	7/2	7/2	6/1	6/0
600	8/4	8/4	9/5	10/6	10/6	9/5	8/5
300	10/7	11/8	12/9	13/10	12/10	11/9	10/8
Valley	11/9	13/10	14/11	14/11	13/11	12/10	11/9
Freezing Level*	1600m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1700m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong and blustery winds throughout the day with the chance of some gusts exceeding those values in the table above by 5-10 mph, especially on some ridges and cols

Forecast for Sunday 02 Oct 2022

Weather: A generally dry and bright day. Perhaps some high cloud during the morning, but becoming increasingly fine with lengthy sunny periods during the afternoon. Lighter winds than of late.

Maximum wind: Westerly 20-25 mph gusting 35 mph first thing, soon easing to northwesterly 10-15 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: A few patches of cloud are possible above 950m, but otherwise most summits will be free of cloud. Superb visibility with excellent air clarity and distant hills and landmarks clear to see. Locally very poor within cloud/fog.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 Celsius, becoming plus 15 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius, becoming plus 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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